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SUBJECT: CW ARMS CONTROL

1. ITALIAN EMBASSY COUNSELOR SALIMEI, AT HIS REQUEST,
CALLED TODAY ON ACDA OFFICER TO DISCUSS CW. READING FROM
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INSTRUCTIONS, SALIMEI REPORTED THAT GOI HAD DECIDED THAT IT WOULD BE "PREMATURE" AND NOT NECESSARY AT THIS TIME TO MAKE A PRECISE STATEMENT AT THE CCD ON CW (I. E. THAT A PARTICULAR PARTIAL APPROACH WOULD BE "NOT ACCEPTABLE"; SEE REFTTEL FOR FULL DESCRIPTION). IN VIEW OF OVERALL SITUATION AND GOI DESIRE COOPERATE AS AN ALLY, PRECISE STATEMENT WOULD BE REMOVED FROM CCD SPEECH. SALIMEI WENT ON TO SAY GOI IS AGAINST ANY DISCRIMINATORY AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE AND EMPHASIZED THAT CONSULTATIONS WOULD BE NECESSARY ON ANY POSSIBLE CW PROPOSAL OF US IN ORDER TO DISCUSS FUNDAMENTAL SECURITY NEEDS AND CONCERNS REGARDING "JURIDICAL EQUALITY."

2. ACDA OFFICER EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR HELPFUL AND COOPERATIVE RESPONSE IN THIS PRESENT CONSULTATION. HE

REITERATED THAT WE HAVE ITALIAN CONCERNS VERY MUCH IN MIND AND THAT ANY COURSE OF ACTION WE MIGHT FAVOR WOULD FULLY REFLECT SECURITY CONCERNS AS WELL AS THE UNDERSTANDABLE DESIRE TO SEEK BALANCED COMMITMENTS.

3. SALIMEI ASKED REGARDING STATUS OF OUR CONSIDERATION OF CW. ACDA OFFICER SAID HE COULD NOT BE PRECISE, BUT THOUGHT WE MIGHT BE IN POSITION TO DISCUSS SPECIFIC IDEAS WITH GOI AND OTHER ALLIES IN RELATIVELY NEAR FUTURE. RUSH

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